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NOTE FOR GRUESOME 201 FILE

Conversation with [] on report received from [] of Italian
IS on Willi HOETTL - Source from "across the border". Possible HAAS could
be responsible since he reporting to BARLETTA (Min. of the Interior).

(Also, he is a personal friend of Uldarigo CAPUTO, stationed in Bolzano~~###~~,
HAAS old stamping ground.) The "inaccuracies" in the report, for example the
bit about HOETTL's placing Soviet penetration agents in the GIS could be the
result of the Detachment's smear campaign against HOETTL. HAAS, of course,
has been instructed to smear.

Other possibilities -

Italian Consul in Salzburg, who was given "poison pen" material when he
queried G-2 in Salz about HOETTL.

Dr. AGOSTINI of the F.A.R. group - This would be dependent upon present
relations between URBAN and HOETTL since AGOSTINI controlled by URBAN. (An
AGOSTINI report would probably have been sent through the Italian CIC.)

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